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## CO-OPERATION IN A. S. OF E

W. R. Pierce, County Organizer,  
Makes an Appeal to  
The Farmers.

### WARNS AGAINST LAWLESSNESS

Friends and Farmers of Breckenridge county:—It is a true saying that "procrastination is a thief of time," then I come to you through the papers, begging you with all the earnestness of a true Equity man not to procrastinate any longer while the A. S. of E. is and has accomplished wonders considering a partial organization. Now that Breckenridge county is behind all the rest of the Green river district is traceable direct to inaction.

Having been made your county organizer by the action of the last county union, my first and main aim will be to arouse people to a sense of action, and I feel that any effort I might put forth would prove futile without the co-operation of, at least, some of the good people. Will you co-operate with me to raise the banner of Equity in every nook and corner of our beloved old county? It seems to me that it would not be necessary to beg and plead with as noble a people as ours to do Equity or to join in an organization to demand their just dues. Single handed as the farmers have always gone at their business he is compelled to pay tribute to organization upon every hand. When we buy a self-binder we help to hold up the hands of the miners union and the various labor unions that every piece is compelled to pass through in its construction and every fellow gets a profit which is just and perfectly right in every branch of business. But when the farmer goes to market with any of the products of his labor he finds that he must sell in competition with every other farmer engaged in like business.

This was the case with the farmer of a few years ago, but the farmer of today has learned a lesson from the rest of the business world and has gone to making a price on the product of his labor and is doing wonders in this direction.

Now boys, there are no foes that can assail us from the outside, then be careful and patient, don't get up trouble among yourselves; lay down everything that would tend to divide you in any sense.

I hear some saying they will not sign the pooling pledge. Now, gentlemen, be careful along this line, that is just what the trusts want to hear you say. They have put out all sorts of false reports for the purpose of confusing you and causing you to do a thing you would long regret after it is too late. Now I know you don't want to kill the goose that laid the golden egg, but if you do, just dump your tobacco and she will surely die.

I hear some complaining about not selling the tobacco and say they will not pool if it isn't sold. Gentlemen, if we were in a battle with a foreign foe and when the battle was raging hot and the enemy almost ready to retreat, if we should just, all at once, stop fighting and say to that foe, now look here, if you don't surrender we will; do we think we would win the battle? no, of course not, neither will we win this battle if we surrender first. Then gentlemen let's keep at our guns and load the with pooling pledges well signed up and the tobacco will sell.

It is a very reasonable conclusion that the pooled tobacco will not sell if they (the trusts) can buy all the tobacco they want on a competitive market. Then for God's sake don't cut your own throat.

Yes, the trusts are offering some fancy prices for tobacco but what do they mean and what do they want? Do they want to buy the tobacco or the man? It is not the former, if it was why don't they go to the pooling house and get all they want, that is sweet and nice, then it must be the latter.

Now gentlemen, I want to warn you against lawlessness. We learn that there has been some crimes committed in some sections of the State, but it has not been done under the auspices of the A. S. of E.

We do not think it is necessary to dig up plant beds and burn barns and the American Society of Equity don't stand for any such outrages and crimes, but on the contrary stands for everything that is noble, just and right for a more perfect civilization and a complete enforcement of law and order.

In conclusion I want to again urge the importance of action, if you are meeting regularly in your locals, and call a meeting and call me

## WILL REPRESENT ALL THE PEOPLE.

Col. Johnson Drops Political  
Sentiments In Opening  
His Address.

### WAS ENTERTAINED AT YOUNGER HOME.

As was expected, Col. Ben Johnson, Congressman from the Fourth District arrived here Thursday morning and was busy the entire day receiving friends at the St. George Hotel. This visit will probably be his last to Cloverport for some time, as he leaves for Washington in November.

At six o'clock a beautiful dinner was given in compliment to Col. Johnson at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Younger. Plates were laid for six and several delicious courses were served.

The speaking took place at Oelze's hall at 7:30 P. M., and Col. Johnson was introduced by Prof. Edmond Wroe. In opening his address Col. Johnson dropped politics for a few minutes and said he would go to Congress not alone for the Democrats but for all the people. He further stated that if he could be of any service to the citizens of Cloverport anyway while he was in Washington he wanted them to be free to inform him. Col. Johnson continued his speech which contained his views of the Republican Platform and his advice to the Democrats and voters. Immediately after the speaking a number from the audience shook hands with Col. Johnson and expressed to him their wishes for his success and welfare.

DeWitt's Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve is good for little burns and big burns, small scratches or bruises and big ones. It is healing and soothing. Good for Piles. Sold by All Druggists.

### Breckenridge County Pooling.

State Organizer L. N. Robertson, of the A. S. of E., has returned from a three days' tour of Breckenridge county and he reports good meetings held and also good prospects for pooling a large percentage of the crop around Cloverport.—Owensboro Messenger.

### Announcement.

The engagement of Mr. Claude Lain and Miss Norie Haffey was published in the St. Rose Catholic church Sunday morning. The wedding will take place some time this month, the exact date has not yet been set. Miss Haffey is a lovely young girl, and her home is at Victoria. Mr. Lain is of Evansville, Ind.

## BREAKIG LAW COSTS MONEY.

### Weisenberger, Mullen And Popham Have To Pay Heavy Fines.

In the Circuit Court at Hardinsburg last week, Mike Popham, Joe Mullen and John Weisenberger were fined \$500 each, as a result of a compromise for violating the local option law in this city.

### Dinner For Mrs. D'Huy.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cordrey were host and hostess to a beautiful dinner given Wednesday evening at their home in honor of Mrs. F. N. D'Huy, of Evanston, Ill. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reece, of Pineville, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lightfoot, Miss Carrie Moore and Mrs. D'Huy.

### Robbed In Louisville.

The flat of Mrs. John Allen Murray on Brook Street was entered last week and robbed of several valuables, including a beautiful pearl pin. The jewel was in the shape of a dove and was an exquisite piece of jewelry.

Miss Kate Moorman was also robbed of her pocket book.

If you need help.

I would like to have all the secretaries of locals and others who are interested in this noble cause to communicate with me and make your wants known for I am your willing servant. If you need organizing write me. I know you need organizing, you who are not already organized, now who will be first?

Yours for A. S. of E. success,  
W. R. Pierce, County Organizer,  
Shreve, Ky.

## RELIGIOUS REVIVAL AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Will Be Held Next Month—Owensboro Minister to Have Charge.

Rev. James T. Lewis is making plans to hold a series of revival meetings in the Baptist church of which he is pastor.

The services will begin Sunday morning, November 17, and will be conducted by Dr. William D. Nowlin, who will assist Rev. Lewis throughout the meeting. Dr. Nowlin is pastor of the Third Baptist church of Owensboro, and is an eminent divine.

### Henry Moorman Shot, Not Killed.

The report received here last week that Henry Moorman was killed in St. Louis was erroneous, and the following special was in the Louisville Times: "Henry Moorman proprietor of the Continental Creamery Company, of St. Louis, who was shot in that city by a revenue officer last Thursday night, has written to C. F. Moorman, his father, in Brandenburg, that he is recovering from his wound. Moorman mistook the officers for burglars and opened fire, which was returned and he received his wound. Moorman says he was arrested and taken to a hospital under guard, which was later withdrawn."

## GENEROUS GIFT.

### Col. Johnson Gives the Baptist Church a Neat Sum.

Last Thursday evening, after the Democratic speaking in Oelze's Hall, Congressman Ben Johnson held an informal reception and met a number of friends.

Several of Cloverport's handsome women were introduced to him, among them were some diligent workers of the Baptist church. Although Col. Johnson is a Catholic, he acted for a few minutes as though he were a Baptist, and gave Mrs. Thos. Tousey \$50 for that church. Col. Johnson is known as one of the most generous men in the State of Kentucky. He has given neat sums to other churches in Breckenridge county.

### Announcement.

The engagement of Miss Sarah Adelaide Collis, of Lexington, to Mr. Cleburne Earl Gregory has been announced. The wedding will take place some time in December. Mr. Gregory is a former Lewisport man, and is now business manager of the Henderson Journal.

## THOMAS D. IRELAND DIES SUDDENLY.

Death of A Noble Man Brings Deep Grief—Was A Soldier In Time of War.

Skillman, Ky., Oct. 22.—(Special.)—In the death of Thomas D. Ireland, Hancock county has sustained the loss of one of its most influential and noble citizens. His death, which occurred Monday, October 21, was a great shock to every one in his family and this community. Being a man of much push and energy, he worked too hard on Wednesday and was over heated, then cooled off very quickly which gave him a chill and in a very short time had to take his bed. Pneumonia set up and death resulted in less than four days.

Mr. Ireland was born in Galatin, county, near Warsaw, Ky., on the Ohio river, Oct. 21, 1837, making him 70 years of age the day of his death. He spent his early life in the hills of old Galatin, and many were his ups and downs according to the story of his life. When he reached manhood and the long-to-be remembered days of the early Sixties came on, he joined the Southern army under Helm's command in the Third Kentucky Cavalry. He fought bravely for four and a half years until the close of the Civil war.

He was married to Miss Adda Hobbs, of Warsaw, on Sept. 17, 1867. Unto this union seven children were born; six of who survive him with his wife, one daughter having died in childhood. The following are the names of those living: Mrs. Curtis Williams, of Evansville, Mrs. Leon McGavock, of Cloverport, Mrs. Robt. Brown, of Warsaw, Emery H. of Evansville, Benton, who is at home and Hughes, now in school at Lexington.

As a father, husband and neighbor, there was none better or more loved than he and one was never in his company but what he was bettered in some way by it. Words would fail to tell of all his good deeds but the best of all he was a christian man of the highest type and eternity alone will reveal it all.

The funeral will take place Wednesday at the M. E. church at Hawesville at 1 P. M., after which the remains will be laid to rest in the Hawesville cemetery on the hill by the Masonic order of which he was a member.

## LONG--IRELAND WEDDING POSTPONED.

The marriage of Miss Forrest Long and Benton C. Ireland, which was to have taken place this afternoon at 2 o'clock has been postponed on account of the death of Mr. Ireland's father, Thomas D. Ireland.

## PROGRAM OF FARMERS' INSTITUTE

To be Held at Hardinsburg  
October 25-26, 1907.

Reception Committee—H. DeHaven Moorman, T. J. Moore, John P. Haswell, Jr., John Kincheloe.

Entertainment Committee—Mrs. Joel H. Pile, Mrs. Morris Beard, Mrs. Gus Shellman, Mrs. Herbert Beard.

Music.

Call to order by President at 1 o'clock p. m.

Invocation by Rev. Brandon.

Address of welcome by Hon. Chas. Blanford.

Response by Hon. Hubert Vreeland. The Farmers' Diary—Jos. E. Wing. Swine Breeding for Profit—Prof. E. S. Good.

Music.

NIGHT SESSION.

Music.

Home Insurance—Geo. Dodson.

Proper Use of Commercial Fertilizers—Prof. W. H. Scherffint.

Discussion.

Tobacco, How to Market—John E. Monarch.

Music.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION.

Invocation—Rev. Clise.

Music.

The Value of an Agricultural Education and how to Obtain it—H. J. Vreeland.

Baby Beef and Baby Lamb—Jos. E. Wing.

Principles and Purposes of A. S. of E.—Dr. Foote.

Music.

AFTERNOON.

Music.

Recitation—Hannah Beard.

Stock Beans—E. B. Oglesby.

Alfalfa in Kentucky—Jos. E. Wing.

Feeding Cattle for Market—Prof. E. S. Good.

Music.

Chas. H. Drury, Pres.

Herbert Beard, Sec'y.

MUSIC.

CHURCH NEWS.

The Perry County and Evansville Associational Boards had a meeting at Tobinsport Monday to plan evangelistic work to be done this winter.

The members of the Breckenridge Baptist Association have received information that Gus Cooper, of Cape Sandy, Ind., has decided not to attend college this year. The association had raised \$30 to offer to Mr. Cooper towards his school tuition.

## TWENTY DAYS IN CITY JAIL.

### John Bates Figures in Police Court Monday.

Saturday night's tare ended in no little expense for John Bates, colored, and his flourishing a pistol around the heads of those on Main street about 6 p. m. turned out more serious than it seemed to him at the time. Monday morning in the Police Court he was fined \$15 for disorderly conduct, \$50 for carrying a concealed weapon and was given twenty days in jail.

### PUBLIC SPEAKING.

Hon. Geo. W. Jolly, of Owensboro. Stephensport, Saturday, October 26, at 1 p. m.

Hon. Chas. Blanford. Clifton Mills, Saturday, October 26, at 7 p. m.

Mook, Friday, November 1, at 1 p. m. West View, Friday, November 1, at 7 p. m.

Balltown, Saturday, November 2, at 1 p. m.

J. P. Whittinghill, of Owensboro. Rockvale, (Burton's School-house), Thursday, October 31, at 7 p. m.

Askins, Friday, November 1, 7 p. m. Tarfork, Saturday, November 2, at 7 p. m.

W. S. Proctor, of Leitchfield. Hudson, Saturday, November 2, at 1 p. m.

Coyle's School-house, Saturday, November 2, at 7 p. m.

Jno. P. Haswell, Jr. Norton's Valley, Friday, November 1, at 7 p. m.

Garfield, Saturday, November 2, at 7 p. m.

Hites Run, Thursday, October 31, at 7 p. m.

## DEATH COMES TO MRS. MURPHY.

Beloved Woman Succumbs After A Lengthy Illness At Her Home In This City.

Mrs. Elizabeth Murphy, one of Cloverport's best known and loved women sank peacefully into the valley of death Monday night, drawing her last breath at 10 o'clock. Her death had been expected for some time and her children and grand-children were at her bedside when the end came. She had been ill for over two years, suffering from dropsy and heart trouble.

Mrs. Murphy was Miss Elizabeth Wilkerson before her marriage to Allen Murphy, who died eighteen years ago. She was born in Cloverport and had lived here continuously all her life. She was sixty-nine years of age last March. Mrs. Murphy was a life-long member of the Methodist church, but owing to ill health during the last few years could not take active interest in church work.

Mrs. Murphy is survived by three daughters; Miss Annie Murphy, of Chicago, Mrs. T. M. Watkins, St. Joseph, Mo., and Mrs. E. H. Kingsberry, of Orell, Ky. Mrs. Watkins arrived from St. Joseph Monday to see her mother, and Mrs. Kingsbury came last week, but owing to illness Miss Murphy was not able to get here until last night.

## PATESVILLE.

Mrs. E. N. Dean is able to be out again.

Burt Parson returned from Evansville Friday.

Services were held at the M. E. church Sunday morning.

After several weeks illness, Mrs. Fred Young is improving some.

Mrs. T. W. Harman was in Louisville several days of last week.

D. G. Hatfield and James Lynch went to Owensboro Saturday.

J. F. Parson and daughter, Muriel, were in Hawesville Friday.

E. O. Gordon, D. S., was in Hawesville Monday of last week on business.

Frank Bradshaw, wife and mother were in town Saturday afternoon shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Reid and baby, of Cloverport, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Lizzie Clark, of Hawesville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dave Clark, of this place.

Misses Ada Frymire and Emma Clark were in Hawesville and Cannelton Monday of last week.

Misses Rena and Ola Jarboe spent several days of last week in Tobinsport the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Lynch and little daughter, Helen Lucile, were in Hawesville Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Mark Clark, of Owensboro, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Baker.

Mrs. James Lynch and two children, Helen and Clyde, returned from Owensboro Sunday.

Elias Bradshaw went to St. Lawrence Monday of last week where he is employed at Higdon's saw mill.

Mrs. Katie Barnett, of Rockport, Ind., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lynch several days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Capt. Colbert and children spent several days of last week at Deanfield, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Brock.

Rev. Bennett, our new M. E. pastor, delivered his first sermon here Sunday morning.

Monroe Marloe and son, Port Marloe, returned from Evansville Monday, where they spent several days the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Rebecca Powers, who has been spending several weeks at Dukes the guest of R. J. Tindle and family and other relatives, returned home Sunday.

G. W. Jarboe was in Cloverport Wednesday on business. Mr. Jarboe is preparing to leave shortly for El Paso, Texas to spend the winter.

Theodore Mattingly, of Kirk, passed through our town Sunday enroute to Knottsville and gave a pleasant call at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fawver.

Vernon Lynch left Monday of last week for Hunter, Ark., prospecting. His intentions are that he and his wife shall locate there shortly if prospects are favorable.